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FOR KUX NEA/INS FROM SCHNEIDER

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: EAID, ETRD, US, IN
SUBJECT: GOI INTEREST IN OBTAINING INFORMATION RELEVANT
TO BOEING INVESTIGATION

REF: STATE 150694

1. MEA TELLS US THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTER HAS AGAIN EXAMINED THE BOEING MATTER AND HAS DECIDED IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO PASS INFORMATION OBTAINED UNDER AN INFORMATION EXCHANGE AGREEMENT TO COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY. THE GOI NOW WISHES TO CONCLUDE A SIMPLE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOI HOME MINISTRY, INDIA'S LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND IT IS PREPARED TO USE THE TEXT OF THE US AGREEMENT WITH THE FRG FOR THAT PURPOSE. WE ARE FORWARDING IN A SEPARATE TELEGRAM A TEXT BASED UPON THE AGREEMENT WITH GERMANY WHICH MEA HAS APPROPRIATELY AMENDED AND PASSED TO US. WE HAVE ALSO POINTED OUT TO MEA THAT AN EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN MEA AND THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE REQUESTING THE AGREEMENT ON EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION WOULD BE A NECESSARY FIRST STEP. THE MINISTRY UNDERSTANDS AND AGREES.

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2. MEA HAS NOW ASKED WHAT THE NEXT STEPS WOULD BE IF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IS PREPARED TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH THE HOME MINISTRY. THE GOI WOULD PREFER NOT TO SEND A REPRESENTATIVE TO WASHINGTON TO NEGOTIATE AN AGREEMENT BUT INSTEAD BELIEVES IT MIGHT BE USEFUL WHEN A TEXT IS AGREED UPON FOR AN INDIAN OFFICIAL TO VISIT WASHINGTON TO SIGN THE DOCUMENT AND DISCUSS FOLLOW-UP PROCEDURES FOR AN EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION.

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3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE THE VIEWS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ON THE INDIAN TEXT AND IF IT IS ACCEPTABLE AN INDICATION WHETHER AN INDIAN OFFICIAL WILL BE WELCOME FOR SIGNING AND DISCUSSION OF PROCEDURES FOR EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION.

4. WHILE RECOGNIZING THAT DELAYS IN THIS MATTER HAVE BEEN CAUSED ON THE INDIAN SIDE, THE FOREIGN SECRETARY HAS AGAIN INDICATED HE WOULD APPRECIATE AS EARLY A RESPONSE AS POSSIBLE.
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